IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

JOSEPHINE SWARTZ,)	Civil Action
Plaintiff)	No. 11-cv-01142
vs.)	
TEACHERS INSURANCE AND ANNUITY ASSOCIATION-COLLEGE RETIREMENT EQUITIES FUND, doing business as TIAA-CREF,)))))	
Defendant)	
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JOSEPHINE A. SWARTZ,)	Civil Action
Plaintiff)	No. 11-cv-01094
vs.)	
LEHIGH UNIVERSITY,)	
Defendant)	

ORDER

NOW, this 25th day of January, 2012, upon consideration of the following:

(1) Notice of Motion to Vacate Default and Permit Defendant to Answer Amended Complaint, which notice of motion was filed September 12, 2011 by defendant Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association-College Retirement Equities Fund, doing business as TIAA-CREF (Document 30)¹ ("Motion to Vacate Default"), together with

Brief in Support of Motion to Vacate filed September 12, 2011 (Document 30);

(2) Answer to Defendant Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association Fund, d/b/a TIAA-CREF's Motion to

Defendant TIAA-CREF's proposed Answer to Amended Complaint was attached to defendant's Motion to Vacate Default as "Exhibit A" to Document 30 and asserts forty-four affirmative defenses to plaintiff's claims. See proposed Answer to Amended Complaint at pages 6-17 (listing affirmative defenses). Defendant's Motion to Vacate Default also included the Affidavit of W. Bridges, dated September 12, 2011.

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Vacate Default, which answer was filed by plaintiff on September 26, 2011 (Document 31), together with

Plaintiff's Brief in Opposition to Defendant Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association Fund, d/b/a TIAA-CREF's Motion to Vacate Default, which brief in opposition was filed September 26, 2011 (Document 31-1);

(3) Reply to Plaintiff's Opposition to Motion to Vacate, which reply was filed by defendant TIAA-CREF September 27, 2011 (Document 32),

IT IS ORDERED that defendant TIAA-CREF's Motion to Vacate Default is granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of Court shall file defendant TIAA-CREF's proposed Answer to Amended Complaint, which answer is attached as Exhibit A to defendant TIAA-CREF's Motion to Vacate Default.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ James Knoll Gardner
James Knoll Gardner
United States District Judge